Matrix of Tier One Indicators

University of Houston

	National			Texas
	Top American Research Universities (TARU)	Carnegie Foundation	Association of American Universities (AAU)	National Research University Fund (NRUF)
Research Expenditures	✓	✓	✓	✓
Defined as: Total S&E Research Expenditures	Υ	Υ	N	N
Federal S&E Research Expenditures	Υ	N	Y	N
Restricted Research Expenditures	N	N	N	Υ
Per capita Research Expenditures	N	Υ	N	N
Non-S&E Research Expenditures	N	Υ	N	N
Research Staff	✓	✓	✓	•
Defined as: Postdoctoral Appointees	Υ	Υ	Y	
Non-faculty Research Staff	N	Υ	N	
SAT/GRE	✓		•	✓
Graduation Rate (GRAD or UGRD)			•	✓
Degrees Awarded	✓	✓	✓	✓
Defined as: Doctorates Awarded (All)	Υ	Υ	Υ	N
Doctorates Awarded (PhD only)	N	N	N	Υ
Baccalaureate or Masters	N	N	N	N
Endowment Assets	✓			✓
Annual Giving	✓			
Defined as: Total Gift Income	Υ			
Alumni Giving Rate	N			
National Academy Members	✓		✓	✓
Faculty Awards	✓		✓	✓
Citations			✓	
National Research Council Faculty Quality Ratings			✓	







